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To accommodate the throng from the Northwest who will desire to read their favorite home paper while attending the "World's Exposition," the Sentinel has been placed on sale in New Orleans at George F. Wharton & Bro's, No. 5 Carondelet street, between Canal and Common streets.

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Good conditioned old papers for sale at this office at only 40 cents per hundred.

CITY IN BRIEF.

The man Hitchcock mentioned in the Terre Haute Express last week, is not J. M. Hitchcock of this place, who travels for Alex. Tappan, the cracker man, as he is not of the kind that has presentiments, but is strictly business.

Union services of St. Paul's Cathedral and Christ Church will be held at Christ Church this morning at 10:30. The services will be conducted by Revs. J. S. Jencks and E. A. Bradley, and Bishop Knickerbocker will preach the sermon.

Captain Covert and Sergeant Lowe yesterday morning arrested George Paine, who resides at 520 North Alabama street, as an insane man. He had threatened to do a young man named Charlie Hess bodily harm, and had also greatly alarmed his parents by his wild actions.

The Building Committee of the Board of Trade, in their report, will recommend the purchase of the Franklin building and the property adjoining it, in the event that it can be purchased for \$50,000. The Board will attempt to buy the Condit Block, if the

Franklin building can not be purchased on terms asked.

The residence of T. J. Gaylor was damaged by fire yesterday, the result of a defective flue. Loss, \$500; insured for \$600 in the German Mutual.

THE CHOSEN FRIENDS.

Fifth Annual Meeting of That Order—Reports of the Grand Councilor and Recorder—Election of Officers.

The Grand Lodge of the Order of Chosen Friends held its fifth annual meeting in the Bates Block yesterday. A large number of members and all of the grand officers were present. Several delegates from the northern part of the State who were snow-bound did not arrive until last night.

The annual report of B. F. Rogers, Grand Councilor, was submitted at the morning session. Mr. Rogers congratulated the order on the prosperity of the last year, and the favorable outlook for the future. The report stated that dispendation had been granted to all Councils to admit members during the year, sixteen for deaths, amounting to \$34,500, making a total of \$31,412.54 in death claims and \$10,000 in disability claims in this State since the organization of the Order.

The following is a list of the officers elected at the afternoon session:

G. C. T. G. Rogers, Indianapolis, Ia.
G. C. T. G. Rogers, New Albany, Ind.
G. A. C. H. O. Bandmark, Fort Wayne, Ind.
G. V. C. H. O. Bandmark, Fort Wayne, Ind.
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PERSONALS.

Jacob Schreder, Esq., a prominent attorney of Cincinnati, O., is in the city, engaged in the trial of a cause in the Federal Court.

At the Occidental: D. W. Bridges, Brazil; J. Theobald, Terre Haute; R. B. Pollard, H. C. Vincen, Greensburg; L. S. Rodgers, Bloomington; S. H. Mitchell, Salem; Sam McFadden, Logansport; H. S. Hattery, C. L. Woolf, B. F. Lanthorn P. O. Finn, Seymour; J. W. Harkins, P. L. Lather, Brazil; G. W. McGee, Tipton; W. James, H. W. Winans, W. S. Reid, Muncie.

James R. Overman, Mitchell; J. G. McNutt, Terre Haute; Thomas Hanlan, New Albany; M. D. Fessler, Logansport; T. W. O. Brattell, John H. Nicholson, Richmond; W. O. Morris, Knightstown; James Cox, Terre Haute; B. W. Hanna and wife, Crawfordville; Godlove Orth Behm, Lafayette; O. D. Thompson and wife, Goshen; George A. Buskirk, Paoli; R. J. Wilson, Salem; George W. Williams, Knightstown; J. B. Kenner, Huntington; James B. Mulkey, Bloomington; Dr. W. S. Sherrill, Jeffersonville; John W. Buskirk, Bloomington; James Gilmore and wife, Danville; G. W. Goodwin, John Rea, New Castle; H. V. Norvell, Bloomfield; Judge E. D. Pearson, Bedford; Dr. W. B. McGowan, Knightstown, are at the Grand Hotel.

The Roller Rinks.

Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather and various counter attractions, a very large assemblage was present at the Wigwam Rink last night, the particular feature of attraction being the five-mile race for the championship of the city and a purse of \$50, between Walter Dean, holder of the championship medal, and Chester Spain. The race was an exciting one, the contestants keeping closely together until near the close, when, by an extra burst of speed, Mr. Dean succeeded in gaining a half-lap, which he maintained, winning the contest in twenty-two minutes and thirty-five seconds.

In commemoration of the birthday of the "Father of His Country," the management of the Wigwam Rink proposes, next Monday evening, to give a grand patriotic Red, White and Blue party, for which an elegant list of prizes is offered. This will be something new and novel, and should draw a large crowd.

Last evening the College Avenue Rink was crowded to its fullest capacity with amusement seekers who had gathered there to witness the fox chase and enjoy skating on one of the best floors in the West. The chase was intensely exciting from the start until the fox was made a prisoner.

Local Courts.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Room 1.—Hon. N. B. Taylor, Judge.
Clara M. Miller vs. Horace F. Miller. Divorce granted plaintiff.

Room 2.—Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge.
Robert Rothelsberger et al. vs. Anthony Zucca et al. Dismissed.

State ex. rel. Francis T. Hord, Attorney General, vs. the Board of Commissioners of Marion County. To recover interest on the Common School bonds of Marion County. On trial by jury.

John W. Fattie vs. William Croson et al. To quiet title. Decree for plaintiff.

Room No. 3.—Hon. L. C. Walker, Judge.
Lizzie A. Catt vs. John H. Prier. Attachment. Finding for defendant.

George R. Barnhart vs. the I. B. and W. Railway et al. Damages. On trial by jury.

The New Police Commissioner.

Several days ago the State officers determined to appoint Mr. T. J. Cotterel to the vacant Commission of the Police Board and he was so notified, but his consent to serve was not obtained until yesterday.

The new Commissioner is one of the best known citizens of Indianapolis, a man of irreproachable character, and will make an efficient officer. He will be commissioned to-day by the Governor.

The Mexican Veterans.

The Mexican Veterans of the State will meet this morning at the Supreme Court room at 11 o'clock, General Munson presiding. Reports of committees and the regular business of the association will be attended to. Mayor McMaster will deliver an address of welcome. In the evening at 7:30 o'clock, Governor Gray, Major Gordon and others will address the association at Room 1, Superior Court. The public is invited to attend.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

The House Passes the Bill to Relieve Certain Trustees.

Senator Foulke's Civil Service Bill Ordered Engrossed—Its Provisions.

Judge Lewis Jordan's Estimate of the Condition of the State Finances.

A Dull Session Held by the Knightstown Home Investigating Committee Last Night.

The Six Per Cent School Fund bill was defeated yesterday.

There is some talk of lively kicking in the party ranks on the Apportionment bill and the names of several prominent Democrats are mentioned who will not abide by the caucus action.

It is expected that the committee appointed to investigate the matters connected with the new insane hospital will report to-day, with a finding that the buildings have been put up so far according to contract, and that they are necessary.

Senator Winter's bill, abolishing the offices of City Treasurer and Assessor of Indianapolis, has been passed by the House, and the measure now only needs the Governor's sanction to blot out these offices when the term of the present incumbents expire.

The House yesterday passed a bill to relieve the Township Trustees in this county who lost funds in the default Indianapolis banks. There were 3,000 depositors in the banks, and the bill would be relieved by legislative enactment in the same way.

The Governor signed three bills yesterday, one appropriating money for the construction of a new brick barn, gas works, and an addition to the kitchen at the Plainfield Reform School; one legalizing the incorporation of the town of Ambia, Benton county, and a third amending the charter of the town of Vernon.

The Militia bill was ordered engrossed yesterday after the adoption of two amendments appropriating \$10,000 each, the one to purchase uniforms and the other to equip the companies with arms, etc. In this connection it is interesting to note what other States are doing for their militia. The following are some of the States making appropriations: Maine, \$16,000; New Hampshire, \$25,000; Massachusetts, \$100,000; Rhode Island, \$23,000; Connecticut, \$80,000; New York, \$350,000; Pennsylvania, \$220,000; Louisiana, \$27,000; Kentucky, \$10,000; Ohio, \$60,000; Illinois, \$150,000; Michigan, \$57,000; California, \$97,000.

Senator Foulke's Civil Service bill came up in the Senate yesterday, and an animated discussion followed. Several of the Democrats voted with the Republicans, and the bill was ordered engrossed. The bill provides for the appointment of three Civil Service Commissioners, who shall employ a Chief Examiner, and shall examine competitively when there is more than one applicant, and generally when there is only one—all aspirants to appointive offices. The bill would reach appointed clerks of the Senate and House, employees of all the reformatory and benevolent institutions, all the appointees of the Governor, or appointees of judges of the Supreme Court, and all State officers. Elective officers are not included.

Judge Lewis Jordan has addressed a letter to Mr. Gordon of the Ways and Means Committee concerning the proposed temporary loan. He estimates that the deficit at the close of the year will be \$467,398.77, and adds that "the amount will be increased by just such special appropriations as have made by the Legislature. It looks very much as if there is now in sight a deficiency of \$476,398.78 and as there is no law authorizing the State officers to make a temporary loan, the necessity of making one is very apparent. Of course you will notice that in my estimate I have included the whole of the \$50,000 appropriation for the additional asylum, upon the supposition that the whole balance will be called for before the close of the present fiscal year."

THE KNIGHTSTOWN HOME INVESTIGATION.

The Knightstown Home Investigating Committee was occupied all day yesterday in the examination of witnesses. The following is a synopsis of the important evidence:

Ed. Cahn—I know Goad, and know he drinks—sometimes badly. The rumors are against him. I think he drinks too much. R. M. Nixon—Goad's reputation for morals is good, but for sobriety is bad.

George Robinson—Lived in New Castle for thirteen years. Goad's reputation, so far as I know, is good. He was a very moral man, and before the G. A. R. and made his arrangement to meet it, but the night appointed there was no quorum, and the matter dropped there. Goad complained he was not thus treated fairly. His reputation for sobriety is not good.

Ph. S. S. Live at Knightstown. Have worked at New Castle for Goad last June and July. I was there on the 28th of June, at the time of this scandal. I saw the girl in Goad's office. She was dressed in white, and had on a straw hat. They were there between 9 and 10 o'clock, the morning. The lounge stood in the center of the east end of the room. Mrs. Goad told me it was the same lady who has been named before this committee by Hedges. She was about seventeen years of age. There was some stranger talking to her when she told me that.

T. B. Koehr—Have known Goad for seven or eight years. He drinks at times, but I never saw him intoxicated.

Omer Jeffries—Have known Goad for some time, but I don't know of his drinking. I heard his reputation for sobriety is bad.

Henry A. Buchtel (formerly book-keeper at the Knightstown Home)—Visited there once a month. Have known White for nine years, three years at Knightstown. I regard him as a gentleman. If the whipping at the institution is as bad as represented by the hypothetical question put by the committee he is not the proper person to act as Superintendent.

Ella M. Hubbard—Been employed at the Home for a year, and formerly for four years. My relations with Dr. White have always been pleasant. I think he is entirely competent for the position of Superintendent.

Robert Clingfish—Lived in New Castle for thirty-five years. Have known Goad for seven years. His reputation for sobriety is good, but have heard that he drinks. John H. Kaiser—Am a saloon-keeper at New Castle and have lived there twenty-one years. I ordered my son not to sell Goad

liquor, because his wife testified against me in my application for license. I have sold him liquor, but never saw him drunk.

Charles S. Hubbard—Been acquainted with the Home since its organization and have had considerable to do there. I was four years Trustee and was author of the bill for the establishment of the institution for the feeble minded. Am acquainted with its arrangement, and it is all right as far as I know. If the testimony here is true the whipping was beyond reason. White's reputation for morality and sobriety is good as far as I know, but I know nothing of Goad's reputation.

Mrs. David Shipman—I live at Knightstown. Was employed as governess of the orphan girls for eleven months from July 1, 1882. I had fifty-three girls under my control at one time. Have known White since 1882. His general moral character and for sobriety is good. I lived formerly at Lincoln, Ill., where I was Supervisor in the Home for Feeble-minded. Was also employed thirteen months in the Glenwood institution for Feeble-minded. The main cause of the trouble at the Knightstown Home is that the Superintendent has not the power to hire and discharge employees. If he had this power he would be the man for the place. Mrs. Moore, who has been before this committee, was regarded as a disturbing element at the institution where she was employed in Iowa. She was not liked through the house. White's conduct is good and kind, but too lenient. Goad's Ray Wilson's conduct was formerly good, but in the last year she has opposed the rules in vogue. Mary T. Wilson's conduct has been very bad. Mrs. Moore and Goad's Ray Wilson's treatment of Dr. White has not been kind and courteous. Mrs. Moore was discontent in many ways, but I can give no instances. We were not on good terms. I quit the second time at Knightstown. I got married. Don't know of Mrs. Moore going to White and ask him to stop cruel treatment of the children, or to enforce the rules. Don't know anything of the raw-hide whipping testified to here, but heard of it. Dr. White never gave any impracticable orders, and I never knew of him being locked up with the teachers in his room. I never heard it rumored. Think White is a competent person for Superintendent. Don't think it excessive punishment to make girls stand on a bench for an hour blind-folded and with a cloth tied over their eyes. I don't know Goad, but his reputation is bad. We don't think a bread and water diet a severe punishment. Dr. White employed, and I think he employed Mrs. Moore.

David Shipman—I live in Knightstown, and have been there thirty-five years. White's character for morality, honesty and virtue, and for sobriety, is good. Goad's reputation for sobriety is bad. The feeling at the institution among the employees toward Dr. White is not good, but I don't know why.

W. D. McGowan—Lived at Knightstown for twenty years, as a physician. I was Superintendent of the Home in 1877, 1878 and part of 1879. I think the Home is in as good condition as I ever saw it, and as good as under the reign of Dr. W. H. White's character for morality, honesty and virtue, and for sobriety is good. Goad's reputation for morality is very bad, also for sobriety. I knew Nellie Layton. She was one of the nicest girls in the Home, as was also Hattie Robinson. The Superintendent should not have allowed her to be largely discretionary power to employ and discharge employees in cases of insubordination.

George W. Williams—Lived at Knightstown for thirteen years. White's reputation is good. Goad's reputation is bad, as far as I am concerned, but I don't know as I can state the general opinion of White as a good purchasing agent. The present trouble dates back six months, when Miss Clark was discharged.

A. O. Morris—Have lived at Knightstown all my life. White's reputation is good. Goad's reputation is bad for sobriety. Saw him in a carriage at Knightstown with Ed H. Swaim when I thought him drunk.

The committee adjourned before midnight, and will meet again this morning, and sometime during the week will go to Knightstown again.

An unpleasantness arose in the early part of the evening session between the Chairman of the committee and Mr. Byfield, the attorney for Mr. Goad, over the introduction of certain testimony by the Legislature. It looks very much as if Mr. Byfield from the room for the evening, and declining to remain, saying he could not do any more for his client under the circumstances. Chairman Lloyd regretted that Mr. Byfield had withdrawn, and the committee felt that it was unpleasant to have a scene of that character, but it is believed that the matter will be amicably settled to-day.

COURT-HOUSE LOCALS.

A \$10,000 Damage Suit Against the City—Record of the Courts.

Bailiff Nickerson, of Room 3, is sick. Judge Taylor yesterday granted a divorce to Clara M. from Horace F. Miller, the proof being that defendant was sent to the State Prison for two years last August.

In the suit of Lizzie A. Catt vs. John H. Prier the jury yesterday returned a verdict giving plaintiff \$217.69, Joseph A. Garner \$300, and for Prier upon the attachment.

Martha E. Smith has sued George W. Smith for divorce. They were married in August, 1878, at Irvington. She alleges drunkenness, failure to provide and cruel treatment for cause.

The suit of Attorney General Hord vs. the Board of Commissioners of Marion County is on trial in Room 2. This is the old suit to collect about \$5,500 alleged to belong to the State on the common school bonds of the county.

Samuel Adams has sued the city for \$10,000 damages. His complaint charges that in November last he was in the employ of the city as a common laborer in a certain locality where heavy stone was used. One of the stones fell on him and broke his hip bones, rendering him a cripple for life.

Albert Baker, as trustee for Mary Morrison and her creditors, reported the sale to Frederick Rand, receiver of the Indiana Banking Company, of Mrs. Morrison's real estate. The sale was confirmed by the court. The object is to reduce the number of suits in these business complications, Rand assuming to pay the \$30,000 indebtedness on the property and save the balance for the benefit of the creditors of the Indiana Banking Company.

The suit of George R. Barnhart vs. the I. B. and W. Road, the Washab, the White River Railway Company, the Kingan & Co. Railway, and Kingan & Co., limited, for \$15,000 damages, is on trial in Room 3 by jury. The plaintiff was a Big Four engineer, and on April 12, 1883, he was engaged in switching cars at the Kingan switch. The Washab Road was also switching at that time in the same place. The I. B. and W. Road had been maintaining frog crossings at this point, they being for the use of the I. D. and S. Road, now leased by the I. B. and W. The Washab engine was making a run at a rate of speed greater than four miles an hour. In

so making the run the cars jumped the track at the frog, which was in an imperfect state. The cars ran against Barnhart's engine with such violence that he was greatly and permanently injured. His complaint sets out a partial paralysis, the result of injuries to the spine, defective hearing and eyesight, and the ultimate end of his life by paralysis predicted by his physician. He has never since been able to follow his profession as engineer. The trial will probably occupy the balance of the week.

The Supreme Court.

The following cases were decided in the Supreme Court yesterday:

11,631. William H. Levering, Trustee, vs. Sophia E. Shockley et al. Tipton Co. C. O. Motion to amend assignment of errors granted.

11,518. John Collins et al. vs. Anna N. Collins. Delaware Co. C. Affirmed. Howk, J. 11,533. Ephraim Catterlin vs. Isaac D. Armstrong. Clinton Co. C. Affirmed. Mitchell, J.

11,550. City of Kokomo et al. vs. Oliver P. Mahan. Howard Co. C. Reversed. Elliott, J. 11,552. Julia A. Smith vs. Byron T. Lane. Lake Co. C. Cause reinstated.

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20c for 3 lbs. Raisins.
20c for 1 lb. Baking Powder.
20c for 6 lbs. Dried Apples.
20c for 15 Bars German Soap.
20c for 9 lbs. Field's Biscuits.
20c for 10 lb. Kit of No. 3 New Crop Mackerel.
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